



California Regional Water Resources Control Board

Central Coast Region



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Arnold Schwarzenegger
Governor

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Mr. Dan Carroll
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Dear Mr. Carroll:

REVISED MONITORING AND REPORTING PROGRAM (MRP) NO. R3-2005-0035, BIG BASIN STATE PARK, SANTA CRUZ COUNTY – NPDES NO. CA0048267

For your review and comment, attached are the following:


1. Revised Draft Monitoring and Reporting Program (MRP) No. R3-2005-0035,
2. Fact Sheet,
3. Notice of Public Hearing, and
4. Instructions for posting the Notice of Public Hearing.

As described in the Fact Sheet, staff proposes to revise the MRP to change the receiving water monitoring frequency for nitrite to quarterly from monthly from November through March of each year. The MRP also requires quarterly monitoring for the other nitrogen forms, nitrate and Kjeldahl nitrogen.

Staff plans to present the MRP for the Board's consideration and discussion at its regularly scheduled public meeting on **May 9, 2008** in San Luis Obispo. Please submit your comments to the Board's Executive Officer no later than **March 28, 2008**.

If you have comments or questions regarding the revised MRP, please contact **Michael Higgins** at (805) 542-4649 or mhiggins@waterboards.ca.gov or Harvey Packard at (805) 542-4639.

Sincerely,


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